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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
YOSHIYUKI NAMIZUKA : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION  
SERIAL NO: 10/805,184 :  
FILED: MARCH 22, 2004 :  
FOR: IMAGE REPRODUCTION  
APPARATUS, IMAGE  
REPRODUCTION METHOD, AND  
PROGRAM FOR IMPLEMENTING  
THE METHOD ON A COMPUTER

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.

IN THE DRAWINGS

The attached sheets of drawings include changes to Figs. 8A, 8B, 12A, and 13A. These sheets, which include Figs. 8A, 8B, 12A, and 13A, replaces the original sheets including Figs. 8A, 8B, 12A, and 13A.

Attachment: Replacement Sheets